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BLAMES CRIME TO CHAIN GANG

Secretary of the Freedman Aid Society Tells of Revolting Conditions Existing.

TRAIN CRIMINALS

Men, Women, Youths and Hardened Criminals Placed in Same Stockade for Work.

Cincinnati, Ohio Oct. 13.—Outrages by negroes are charged to the chain-gang prison system by Dr. W. P. Thirkield, secretary of the Freedman's Aid society. The annual meeting of the Evangelical alliance is in session, and it was there Dr. Thirkield spoke. In part he said:

"Far be it for me to utter one word in extenuation of the unspeakable crime of which some black men are guilty. Let us keep in mind, however, that only about 20 per cent of the black men who are lynched have even been charged with the unspeakable crime against the sacredness of womanhood."

Schools of Crime.

"In estimating criminality among the black people, we should keep in mind that since Appomattox nearly every Southern state has maintained a school of crime—an organized institution for the training of criminals.

"This I charge against the convict lease system of the South. This system, with its thousands of victims, has been the cause of much of the out-breaking crime among black people through its brutalizing and dehumanizing influence on thousands of negroes.

Worse Than Slavery.

"To the lessees the body and soul of convicts are assigned. The motive of both state and lessee is not morals, but money; not reformation, but exploitation of criminals for gain. It is crime turned into a source of revenue; the brawn and blood of criminals bartered for gain.

"Criminals are generally scattered in branch prisons—quartered in rude stockades without proper sanitation, food or clothing. The average life of these convicts is less than ten years.

Hard Prisoners Like Cattle.

"Old and young are promiscuously chained and herded together. Even men and women are in some camps not separated. Hardened criminals and the boy convicted of his first crime; the comparatively good and the most depraved, vile, and abandoned are chained together.

"One warden of a state penitentiary protests in his report that 'under the present law and custom the penitentiary is the school of crime instead of being a reformatory institution. Of the fifty boys under 18, nine-tenths of them leave prison much worse than when they came in.'"

SUPREME COURT WARNS AGAINST INTIMIDATION

Tells Trades Unions That They Must Not Recruit From Nonunion Ranks by Forceful Means.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 13.—Trades unions must not recruit their ranks by any form of intimidation of men belonging to other unions nor of non-union men," said Justice Dean of the Supreme court in an important ruling on a question of labor compulsion.

"Where the law of a trade union conflicts with the first clause of the constitution, guaranteeing to citizens the right to acquirement, possession and protection of property, the constitution shall prevail and must be upheld by every court in this commonwealth. If the members of the Allied Building Trades of Philadelphia shall further disregard these principles the courts of Philadelphia know how to compel their submission."

This decision was made on an appeal from Court of Common Pleas in a case where the Allied Building Trades of this city was enjoined against compelling members of the Plumbers' league to join the alliance. Not only is the decision of the lower court affirmed, but it is emphasized in language evidently calculated to settle once for all this phase of trade union warfare.

POPE PIUS LAUDS UNIVERSITY

Calls on Faithful to Liberally Support Washington Seminary.

Baltimore, Md., Oct. 13.—Cardinal Gibbons has given out a translation of the pope's brief commanding the Catholic university at Washington to the care of the church in America. His holiness mentions the recent decision to take up a special annual collection in all the churches in the country and gives it his encouragement, saying he hopes all the bishops will adopt the

ROBBED STORE AT MILTON ON SUNDAY

Clarke Brothers' Store Entered, But Postoffice Was Not Touched.

On Sunday night the drug and book store of Clark Brothers at Milton was entered by burglars and a sum of money amounting to between eight and ten dollars was taken from the change drawer. The thieves entered by way of a window in the rear of the postoffice and went immediately into the portion of the store set aside for drugs and books. They found the safe open and dumped the contents on the floor, but finding nothing of value next opened the cash drawer where they secured the money mostly in pennies. The postoffice department was not disturbed at all.

MANY CASES ARE INVESTIGATED

Humane Society of This City Doing Good Work—Annual Meeting Held Last Night.

S. B. Kenyon made a report to the Humane society at their annual meeting at the home of Mrs. E. Woods last evening. His report showed that 57 cases of cruel and abusive treatment had been investigated, that fifteen cases were children, thirty-eight horses and the remainder dogs. A list of the directors for the different wards is given below. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, E. B. Helmstreet.
Vice Presidents, W. G. Palmer and W. T. Vankirk.

Secretary, Mrs. E. F. Woods.
Treasurer, Mrs. Mary W. Crosby.
Collector, Mrs. John Peters.

Agent, S. B. Kenyon.
Attorneys, M. G. Jeffris, Chas. E. Pierce, Wm. Smith, J. J. Cunningham.

First ward—E. T. Fish, Mrs. Frances C. Tallman, Miss Melissa Chittenden, Miss Mary Field, Miss Cornelius Reddy.

Second ward—J. M. Whitehead, Francis Grant, Mrs. C. L. Valentine, Mrs. John Peters.

Third ward—Victor Richardson, Pliny Norelius, Richard Valentine, Mrs. Harriet Marshall, Martin H. Morse.

Fourth ward—W. M. Jeffris, C. W. Schwartz, Mrs. F. A. Capelle.

Fifth ward—Rev. Robert C. Denton, Paul Rudolph, Herman Lemke.

Will Found New Colony.

Syracuse, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Floyd North of Los Angeles, Cal., will marry Miss Florence C. Tyler. With thirty-five residents of Syracuse and Casenovia, the couple will start for California in a special train, and near Los Angeles they will found a colony.

LOCAL KNIGHTS LEAVE TODAY

An Imposing Parade of Six Hundred Uniformed Knights Templar in Milwaukee.

Messrs. Ehrlinger and Howe, the two Knight Templars from Janesville who will attend the conclave at Milwaukee this week, leave today for the scene of the big gathering. This afternoon one of the prettiest parades seen in the Cream City for many years was witnessed by the thousands of citizens who turned out to see the Knights in line.

Six hundred of them, in full uniform, marched through the principal streets of the town and in the procession were the one hundred delegates to the conclave, four hundred members of the Ivanhoe and Wisconsin commanderies as escorts and then between one and two hundred visitors acted as assistant escort. Sir Knights from out of the city were met at the depots by the various local commanderies.

SPARKS FROM THE WIRES

"Golden Rule" Jones, mayor of Toledo, O., has been asked to hold special election for the purpose of deciding the question of Sunday saloons.

About 130 of the 350 Chinese taken into custody at Boston have been released, the requisite papers having been produced. The rest will be deported.

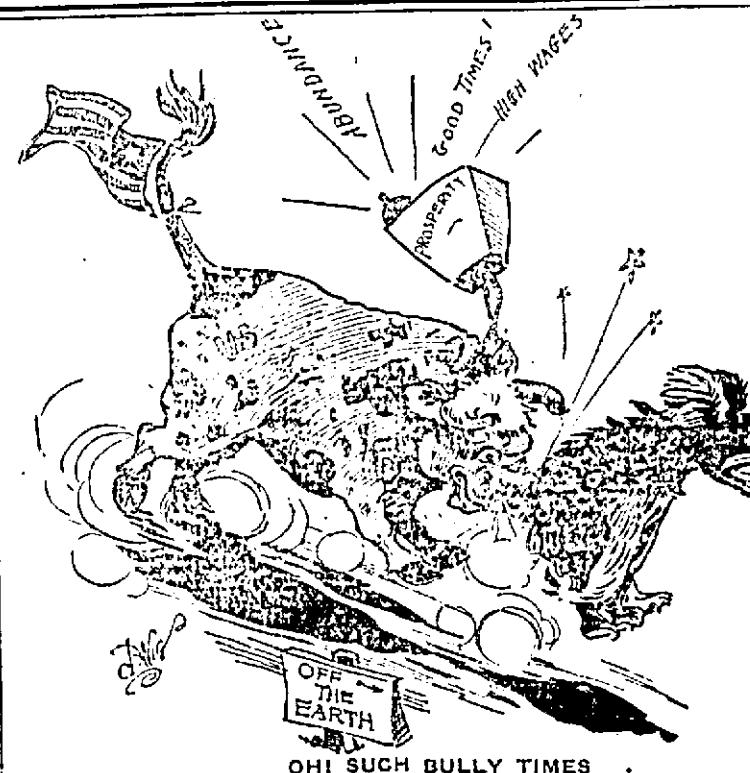
The republic of Santo Domingo will heed the protest of the United States and recall the bill before congress denying certain harbors to be free ports.

Richard Cavanaugh, secretary of the Illinois Commercial Men's association, must answer a charge of contempt of court at Elgin, Ill., for not paying alimony.

In a whiskey quarrel on the Blackfoot reservation, Montana, Wakes-Up-Last, his wife and three children and two friends were killed and two others seriously wounded. Four arrests have been made.

Jack Willets, aged 16 years, son of Howard Willets of White Plains, N. Y., owner of Heatherbloom, the champion jumping horse of the world, is dead, as a result of a slight bruise on the leg. Blood poisoning developed.

Chief of Police Noble Wallingsford, Councilman E. E. Hill and Patrolman Hackett, all of Nome, Alaska, has been arrested on a charge of blackmail brought by Annie Brown a dance hall keeper, who alleges she had to pay \$700 for protection.



MANY LOOK AT NEW NOVELTIES

Exhibit of the Hook & Eye Company Attracts Much Attention.

The exhibit of the U-Pin-It Hook and Eye company is attracting considerable interest. The many novelties are new and unique and also very useful. At the factory the three machines already arrived are also the objects of much interest to visitors. Mr. Mills says that after they are in place and in running order he will be glad to issue permits to visit the factory, but at present the workmen must be allowed free play without any interruption. The general offices will be located in the building with the factory and will mean the removal of a half dozen persons from Chicago. The expert machinist from Waterbury, Conn., who is to set up the machines, is expected today or Wednesday.

PROGRESS SHOWN IN PAST YEAR

Episcopal Church of the Milwaukee Diocese Made Annual Report Recently.

The council of the Diocese of Milwaukee of the Episcopal church, which includes only half of the state, the other half comprising the Diocese of Fond du Lac, listened to most encouraging reports at its annual meeting held in Milwaukee a few days ago. The finances were found to be in good condition. A new \$16,000 Episcopal residence for the bishop, the building of some new churches and the repair and improvement of many others and valuable memorials and gifts throughout the whole Diocese were among the fruits of the year's labors. The Diocesan institutions also were found to be taxed to the utmost of their ability and to have received during the year many large bequests. Among the chief of these institutions are Racine college; St. John's Military Academy, at Delafield, Wis.; Kemper Hall, Kenosha, Wis.; the Theological Seminary at Naschotah, Wis., and various charitable institutions throughout the Diocese. New members added to the church by baptism and confirmation exceeded thirteen hundred for the year. There were twenty-one ordinations during the year, eleven to the Diaconate and ten to the Priesthood. There are twenty-six candidates for the ministry, preparing for holy orders within the Diocese at the present time. Progress is conspicuous all along the line. A \$100,000 endowment for the Episcopate is now being worked for and half of the amount is already on hand.

IS EXPELLED FROM CHURCH.

Blydenburg was for a long time looked upon as a model man. He taught a Sunday school class and attended church regularly. Before he quit Brooklyn he had been turned out of his church and Sunday school with a warning never to enter them again, had been accused of several swindles, and was under a cloud of suspicion because of the way his two wives had died.

Blydenburg's first wife was Miss Emily Hawkins of Brookhaven, L. I. He married her thirteen years ago. Seventeen days after the birth of her child she died.

Blydenburg's second wife was Miss Laura Godbold, and she lived with her parents at 99 Lafayette avenue, Brooklyn. She died after an illness of four days.

PROMISES REFORM WHEN PEACE COMES

Defies Powers, However, to Enforce Them Before Macedonia Is Subjected.

Vienna, Oct. 13.—A dispatch from Constantinople declares that the sultan and Count Zhovlev, the Russian ambassador, have an animated discussion over the Macedonian situation and the recent dual note of Russia and Austria demanding the appointment of a commission to be composed entirely of Christians to decide on the scope of the proposed reforms. The sultan is reported to have been very emphatic in his refusal to comply with some of the provisions of the note. He declared that until the insurrection was completely stamped out he would take no action on the demand.

Sofia, Oct. 13.—Details of the fighting on Oct. 5 at Setzi, in the Ditra district, between insurgents under Boris Sarafoff and Turkish regulars, state that over 500 Turks were killed. The insurgents lost 25 killed and 25 wounded.

AMERICAN CLAIMS ARE SETTLED NOW

Minister Leishman Scores a Victory Over the Porte in His Negotiations.

Constantinople, Oct. 13.—Two more claims of the American legation have been satisfactorily settled, the more important being the issue of a fireman granting to Dr. Banks permission to excavate the ruins of Bismah in Mesopotamia. The claim has been pending for three years. The second question concerns property belonging to the wife of the American consul at Smyrna upon which immigrants have established themselves and which the government now agrees to purchase.

The Rev. Dean B. M. McGinnity preached an impressive sermon at the funeral of the late Mrs. Cantillon at St. Patrick's church last Sunday, this being the first occasion of the dean giving an address this year.

THREE WIVES DIE SUDDENLY

A Former Brooklyn Man Believed To Have Murdered Them for Their Life Insurance.

MUCH MONEY PAID

All Had Good Sized Policies on Their Lives, Made Out in His Favor.

New York, Oct. 13.—The news that E. S. Blydenburg, for many years a resident of Brooklyn, had been arrested at Eldora, Iowa, on a charge of poisoning his wife, disclosed the fact that for several weeks the county prosecutor and a detective from Iowa had been in Brooklyn working up a case against him.

The woman who died in Iowa was the third Mrs. Blydenburg. Her life was rather heavily insured. Before he went to Iowa Blydenburg buried two wives in Brooklyn. Both died under strange circumstances, and both were insured.

Believe They Have Evidence.

All unknown to Blydenburg the authorities of Eldora went to Brooklyn, and what they learned in that borough of the first two wives and their deaths left them little doubt that these women died in much the same fashion as wife No. 3. On their report, when they returned to Eldora, Blydenburg was arrested. F. H. Noble, the county prosecutor from Eldora, told the relatives of Blydenburg's first two wives and also the Brooklyn authorities that he believed the man could be convicted of the murder of his third wife on the evidence then in hand, but it had been thought wise to obtain all the facts about the deaths of the Brooklyn wives and get some of their relatives, if possible, to come out and testify at the trial.

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WAR NOW SEEMS VERY IMMINENT

Japan Has the Best of the Situation on Paper Thus Far.

London, Oct. 13.—The opinion that war is at hand between Japan and Russia is well nigh universal. Even the Japanese minister, Baron Hayashi, who all along has rather ridiculed the idea of war, seems to have lost confidence in the peaceful settlement of the difficulties, and while he does not say he believes war is about to involve his country, he indicates that such contingency is not impossible.

STATE NOTES

Herman Roseow of La Crosse, Wis., who attempted to murder his wife in church and then tried to commit suicide, is recovering and has been arrested.

Racine county farmers are to organize against people who hunt on their lands, steal apples, nuts and farm produce.

Frank Dolezal, aged 34 years while crossing a railroad bridge at Ladysmith, was struck by a locomotive and died from his injuries.

George Williams, a waiter at the Little Cosy restaurant, Oshkosh, has disappeared, as has also the contents of the cash register amounting to \$80.

Mrs. David Crestman, aged 26, of Clinton Junction, while suffering under a severe mental tension, fired a rifle ball into her stomach and is dying.

City Clerk D. H. Foster of Beloit will resign at the next meeting of the common council, and T. C. Hendley and Walter L. Cox are candidates for the place.

The Citizens' Telephone company of Sheboygan has decided on extending the present toll line from Randon Lake, this county, to Fredericksburg, Ozaukee county.

Michael Dooley, 65 years old, called at the Racine police station for shelter. Dooley said a gang of things tackled him in Chicago, robbed him of \$55, and that the Chicago authorities refused to pay any attention to him.

Miss Clara Sands is confined to her room in Kenosha on account of being struck by a batted ball Sunday afternoon.

E. H. Hunter, a wealthy banker and politician of Des Moines, Iowa, will be put on trial for jury tampering, Judge Given refusing to dismiss the case. Jesse O. Wells, an ex-alderman and capitalist, and Michael Grady, another ex-alderman, also will appear on the same charge.

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MYERS HOUSE AN OLD LANDMARK

HAS SHELTERED SOME OF THE WORLD'S GREATEST MEN.

STARVED RATS IN CORRIDORS

Now Make It Dangerous To Enter Place, After Nightfall—Hardwood Meat Block Devoured.

Old residents of Janesville to whom old associations and landmarks are rather more than costly monuments will not rest easy until the doors of the Hotel Myers once more swing open to welcome alike the weary wayfarer and the citizen who was wont to spend an evening in lobby talking with old associates or still older associations.

House of Many Memories.

Many tender memories cluster around this hostelry. Built in 1860 on the site of an old stage depot and opened in 1861, it has sheltered many of the great world's greatest men, soldiers and statesmen, renowned travelers and artists, orators that moved and swayed their audiences and spurred them to action and power lost and almost forgotten savants and heroes, the wisest, noblest, and the best have crossed that threshold to linger for a day.

No Shadowy Train.

It was in the lobby of the Myers House that citizens paid their homage to these guests. It was there that the greatest questions that ever perplexed a nation were discussed. The great men of war times were very close to the people and their coming and going was not as the passing of a train of shadowy spectres. Great dramas of intense human interest were enacted under the walls of the old hotel.

Charles Sumner's Telegram.

Martin Dunn, for twenty-eight years clerk at the hostelry, remembers the night that Charles Sumner received the telegram announcing the elopement of his wife with a British officer, and can point out the room where he found him in tears. Yet he delivered the address expected of him that night in Janesville and few knew or even suspected the shadow that had crossed his life.

Many Notable Men.

General Grant, Stephen A. Douglas, Theodore Parker, Bayard Taylor, Wedell Phillips, and Robert J. Walker, are a few of the names that were inscribed upon the register. In 1867 the hotel was closed for a time, but with the burning of the Hyatt House its corridors once more admitted light and life and its history was uninterrupted for thirty or more years thereafter.

Its Faithful Friends.

There was a coterie of faithful friends that remained in the hotel up to the hour it closed a few weeks ago. Caladon Bassett lived in the same room and paid the same rental for over fifteen years. Hans Trofetti was another who had been there many years. And there still others whose occupancy dated back a decade or more.

Now the Prey For Rats.

Half starved, ferocious rats now scamper down the empty corridors. The waste food that formerly attracted them is longer forthcoming. Yet they still linger. In desperation they have attacked the wooden meat block, and it is practically destroyed. The soldier has been gnawed from a silver sugar bowl for the few grains of nourishment to be found within. So fierce have these animals become that it is unsafe for any human being to cross their paths, especially after nightfall. The home that sheltered great men has become a wild beast's lair!

RECOMMENDS THAT THE STONE QUARRY

Be Reopened—Money Now Spent in Rental Is Uselessly Wasted.

Mayor Wilson opened last evening's meeting with a message recommending the reopening of the stone quarry. He thought that a new lease might be arranged that would give the system a practical test and that the \$300 rent which is now paid was simply a waste of the city's money, as no benefit whatsoever was derived from the quarry under the present conditions.

Street Grades and Curb Lines

During the evening the city engineer was instructed to establish a grade for Elizabeth street and to establish a curb line on Madison street, also curb lines on Home Park avenue. Curb lines and grades were also requested for parts of Wisconsin street. On motion an order was presented by Alderman Connell for the temporary repair of East Milwaukee street between South Bluff and Division streets. A letter was received from Alderman Mills enclosing an order for the construction of a plank walk across Prairie avenue, one block north of St. Mary's avenue. On motion the order was passed.

Viaduct to Go

John Horton was given permission to move a small barn on Wheeler and South Bluff streets, being held responsible for any damage to the roadway that might be caused. Alderman Matheson presented an order, which was adopted empowering the street commissioner to remove the viaduct on Vista avenue in River view park, to repair the road bed at this point and to also repair the Oak street viaduct, the total cost not to exceed \$200.

Voting Booth Investigation

The question of future disposition of the voting booth which is located on part of a lot in the Fifth ward for which the city pays a rental of \$36 per year, was discussed and was referred to the alderman from that ward, who is to investigate and report on what will be best to do with the booth.

BARN BURNED LAST TUESDAY

Lightning Set Fire to Ellis Casper's Farm Buildings.

During the severe thunder storm of last Tuesday the barn of Mr. Ellis Casper in the town of Fairfield was struck by lightning and burned to the ground. The loss will be a heavy one to Mr. Casper as he had it well stocked with his crops of the past summer.

WITH LINK Goof of Interest to Railroad AND PIN men.

North-Western Road. August Bush, stationary engineer; Herman Donner, boiler washer's helper; and Marzluft Bliss, boiler maker's helper, are on a hunting trip to Koshkonong today. Frank Siebert is relieving the first named.

Frank Schmidley, fireman on the northern Wisconsin division is off on account of illness.

Conductor Tucker is relieving Conductor R. H. Clark on the Minnesota line freight.

Enginner Fred Shumway, of the Wisconsin division is at Koshkonong today.

Engineer Sullivan is relieving Engineer Barrett on the Baraboo stock run.

Two train loads of western stock passed through Janesville last night.

One of the box cars of the C. R. R. of N. J. line was switching on the tracks this morning. The New Jersey cars are rarely seen in this vicinity. The mark of the line is a red and white bull's eye and the one on the car this morning showed that small boys with pop-guns along the rails had not allowed the opportunity to slip by them.

St. Paul Road.

A man, somewhat the worse for liquor, boarded the Chicago passenger at 10:30 this morning by mistake. When the train reached the Pleasant street crossing he discovered that it was not bound for Beloit and attempted to alight by jumping from the platform and striking earth with both feet simultaneously. In consequence he described a series of evolutions which caused onlookers to hold their breath in horror.

He rolled along the ground with his feet almost touching the rails for several yards and those who saw him expected at any instant to see his limbs ground under the wheels. Spectators were certain that if he had been sober he would have been killed.

Brakeman John Jarvis, of the Mineral Point is sick and off duty.

Locomotive 209, one of the way freight engines running between Janesville and Chicago, is in the shop for repairs. Some of the bolts in the frame are broken and the pieces had to be dislodged with gun powder this morning.

General Railroad Notes

The Great Northern will spend \$1,000,000 in preparing its Smith's cove docks for huge trans-Pacific liners. The work will occupy a year and a half.

President Truesdale of the Lackawanna railroad, who has just recovered from a serious illness, sailed for Europe last Friday morning for a two months' trip abroad. During Mr. Truesdale's absence the affairs of the road will be in charge of the vice presidents.

Benjamin L. Winchell is now third vice president and sole executive head of the Rock Island system in the west. Although the fact that he was to occupy an important position in the service of the company has been known in railroad circles for some time, it was not until yesterday that the official announcement of his appointment was made by President Leeds.

The steam railway from Madison to Green Bay by way of Oshkosh is assured. A syndicate has been formed and the capital is certain. It will require \$3,000,000. Today at Beaver Dam the survey of the route will begin. A statement to this effect was made at Oshkosh today by H. S. McFall of Cleveland, O., who represents a firm interested in the project. Among the other cities mentioned on the new road are Waukesha, Beaver Dam, Neenah, Menasha, Appleton, and other points in the Fox River valley. The road will be 150 miles long.

THOMAS FINDS NO EVIDENCE YET

Railway Commissioner is Unable to Substantiate La Follette's Claims.

John W. Thomas, state railroad commissioner, has returned to Chicago to resume his investigation to discover whether or not railroads operating in Wisconsin have been giving rebates to favored shippers. Mr. Thomas says that the first week's work of his corps of expert accountants had not uncovered anything tending to show that rebates were being given to Wisconsin shippers by the Milwaukee company. The commissioner added that he had been accorded the fullest assistance by the railroads, and that he was entirely satisfied with the progress of the work. He does not contemplate increasing his force of two expert assistants.

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BUILDS CONTRARY TO THE ORDINANCE

S. D. GRUBB ERECTS BUILDING ON NORTH JACKSON STREET.

BUT THE WALLS ARE TOO THIN

Buildings Within Fire Limits Must Have 12-Inch Walls—New Structure Has But 8-Inch Outside Walls.

The new building going up on North Jackson street has been found to be constructed in direct violation of section three of the city ordinances. S. D. Grubb is the owner of the structure and it is said that he has made a part of the outside walls eight inches thick instead of twelve as this section of the ordinance directs for buildings within the fire limits.

Chief Klein Explains

Chief Klein was called upon to give his version of the affair and said at the council meeting that the building had been started without any permit at all, but that he had written Grubb and enclosed a permit and that this had been signed and returned to him. As he had been busy he had given the matter no further thought until recently when passing the partly finished structure had noticed the manner in which the outside walls were built. The discussion of the situation took up some time and considerable interest was taken as the situation is one not often occurring.

No Amendment Likely

It appeared as though the only way out of the difficulty was to amend the fire ordinance, but the suggestion that this should be done brought forth many objections and it is extremely unlikely that such a course would be taken.

Built Correctly to First Floor

Chief Klein gave a very clear account of his part in the proceedings and told how the wall was two inches in thickness only to the first floor and that above this point it was but eight inches in thickness. No definite action was taken regarding the matter and it is uncertain what will be done.

NO DIAMONDS IN WISCONSIN SOIL

Hopes of Future Kimberly Mines in the Badger State Are Killed.

If any one had any hopes of finding a rough diamond in his backyard or along the streets of Janesville he must suffer disappointment. There are no diamonds in Wisconsin. There may be lots of oats, corn, tobacco and even copper and iron but diamonds are missing. This is the ultimatum of Warren S. Johnson, president of the Johnson Electric company of Milwaukee in a paper on Wisconsin before the Milwaukee Literary club.

Old Story

Some time ago the Gazette published an account of the finding of diamonds on the lake shore between Milwaukee and Chicago. The story reached the eye of a New York man who was interested in the subject and he wrote for information. Professor Johnson has shattered all theories and all hopes of persons who would be rich by finding huge stones of diamonds in the streets of Janesville. Also Mr. Johnson made an interesting statement that Wisconsin was at one time an island along the shores of Lake Superior. That the level lands of the forests of the northern part of the state were once high mountain ranges.

Diamonds Once

The professor, however, held out a single hope that stray diamonds might be found but that the looking for them was like looking after needles in a haystack. Coal and gas were also not elements to be found in Wisconsin. Gas had been discovered, but it was only a kind of marsh gas, he called it, and it soon disappeared and money was lost in trying to sink wells for it.

Children like Pico's Cane. It is pleasant to take and cure their colic, etc.

DAINTY TABLE DECORATIONS

What to Use and Where to Get It. The party season is on and the hostess must begin racking her brains for new and pretty effects for the table, at her first and following functions. There are those dainty little shell cups which are used so much these days and which go so far toward making a table attractive. They come in all colors and any number of shapes. There are the heart shapes so pretty in carrying out the idea at a heart party, and the tiny fluted ones, which are just the thing for salted nuts. Then how much prettier the ice cream looks when placed upon the dainty lace paper doily. These too come in many varieties and shapes and save the cream from sliding all around one's plate at the standing affairs, which takes a load off the masculine mind. Candles? Oh, yes, they are to be found at the same place and come in every delicious kind which any one knows anything about. It is the store with the palm room, the electric sign, and all the modern equipment. The store on the bridge, Tidymans and Hayes.

LARGE AUDIENCE HEARS MINSTRELS

Entertainment of Real Black-Face Comedians Was of Mediocre Sort, with Few Good Features.

A large audience greeted Alexander Bros' Plantation Minstrels at the Myers Grand last evening. The entertainment was a mediocre one, with a few good features. The music of chorus and orchestra was

not first class but the Comedy Band and Sunflower Quartette made a hit with their specialties. John Pamplin, the juggler, performed some new and astonishing feats. The black "Chloe-ra-dora girls" danced much better than they sang. The "gags" of the bones and tambos, as might have been expected, were not of the most polished order.

STORM SEWERS AT FIVE POINTS

Discussed at Last Night's Council Meeting—Effective Drainage System Needed.

At the council meeting last evening the question of who should take care of the "storm sewers" located at the Five Points was considered at some length and on motion was referred to the street commissioner. These sewers or gutters have become stopped with refuse and during the heavy rains have at times become entirely clogged so that the water stood for some way back on the streets. The lower ends of these gutters are on railway property and the propriety of the railroads taking care of them was considered. It appeared that in times past, when the sewers had become stopped the railway people had remedied the condition when requested to do so by the council and it was the opinion that they would at least assist in the cleaning at this time. It was shown at the meeting last evening that some effective drainage system should be installed and that as it was the North-Western and St. Paul roads' property in part, they ought to stand a portion of the expense.

When first brought up in the evening, the matter was referred to the highway and judiciary committee, but after hearing Alderman Connell's and others' opinion on the subject, on motion of Alderman Sale, the matter was referred to the street commissioner who was instructed to adopt the suggestion of the city engineer as to making temporary relief.

Alderman Sale suggested that his amendment of the street railway ordinance which was brought up at the last meeting be referred to the highway and judiciary committees. He stated that the street railway company had requested a hearing on the proposed amendment before further action was taken.

LAST PEACHES ON THE MARKET

It Has Been a Fair Season for That

Fruit—Grapes Will Soon Be Plentiful.

The last shipments of Michigan peaches are now coming into the market and soon the last of the crop of 1903 will have disappeared from the dealers' counters. The season practically closed last week and has been a success so far as Janesville is concerned. In Milwaukee while the bulk of the shipments were large, the car ferry shipments were uncertain and in most cases were billed into the state points by the commission houses.

"Since the middle of July when the fruit began to arrive, up to the present time, daily shipments have ranged from 5,000 to 25,000 bushel packages daily," said a Milwaukee commission merchant the other day. "The quality of the fruit has been excellent and prices have been lower even than in Michigan, where the heavy demand from New York state sent the market up on all peaches not already contracted for. There was not as much canning trade as last year."

Grapes are making their appearance in Janesville in good quantities coming mostly from New York state. A commission merchant who some weeks ago went through the vineyards of the Empire state, said that the crop will be at least 35 per cent. smaller than last year. This fact, however, has not been noticed in the local market to any extent. Apples are coming fast and fall shipments will be received. The Michigan fruit is selling now at about thirty and forty cents a peck.

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COUNTY NEWS

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Mrs. Nettie France of Chicago, is in town.

Dr. Smith, Jr., Dr. Evans, Levy, Frantz, Dr. Marshall and Dr. Colby attended the Broadhead Chapter of Free Masons last Friday.

Lew Van Wart and Caddy Smith leave for Texas next week.

A fine stereoptican has been presented the Evansville Seminary.

Miss Ena Walker spent Sunday with Miss Bliglow at Union.

Miss Lizzie Baker, formerly of Evansville, died at the home of her sister in San Rafael, Cal., on last Friday morning. She had suffered two strokes of paralysis. Interment will be in the Evansville cemetery.

Twenty ladies from the local Woman's Relief Corps attended a banquet given by the ladies of the Oregon corps on Thursday.

John Leamell, Jr., left last Monday for Chicago to attend medical college.

Mrs. Mary Jacobs leaves tonight for her home in Dakota.

Miss Lulu Baker entertained the embroidery club on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Lev. Frantz entertained a company of friends to tea on Wednesday last.

The Afternoon club held its first meeting on last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Porter and children drove to Kegonsa Lake Sunday.

Mr. L. B. Smith of Madison, called on relatives last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Billings are the proud parents of a son, born Monday, Oct. 5th.

The Royal Neighbors entertained neighboring lodges on Saturday.

Strawberries are being picked in the gardens of our city.

Mrs. Jessie Taylor Rosecrans visited in town last week.

Rev. Alex. Beers, president of Seattle seminary lectures tonight at the Seminary Chapel here, subject, "My Trip to Alaska."

H. D. Snyder of this city, and Miss Nellie Bacon, of Chelsea, Mich., were married Oct. 4th, at the bride's home. Nineteen friends from which they seemed small change and pennies to the amount of from \$6.00 to \$10.00. The post office was served during the afternoon.

The remains of John McBride, uncle of W. P. and J. H. McBride, were brought here Monday from the National Home at Milwaukee, of which deceased has been an inmate for some years.

A coat and vestless individual drove into the village Sunday evening about 8 o'clock had his rig put up at the livery, went to the Cottage hotel, got a meal, paid for it with counterfeit money, returned to the livery barn got his horse and buggy, shot up the town a few with a rifle, and dug out. If anybody finds him in.

Dr. C. E. Perry returned to Cheltenham Saturday to resume his grind in the Cheltenham Dental College.

E. E. Osborn left today for Long Beach, Cal., where he will spend the winter.

LIMA CENTER

Lima Center, Oct. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dyke, of Delavan, called on Mrs. N. Freeman Sunday.

The remains of Mrs. Harriet Wilder De Pew who died at the home of her brother, Harvey Wilder in Whitefish on Thursday, were interred in our cemetery Friday afternoon. Mrs. De Pew was for many years before her marriage a resident of Lima.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson, of Turtle Lake, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. Resse and family.

Irwin Godfrey and Willard Reece went out hunting Saturday afternoon and captured five wild ducks.

Miss Ida Kelch who has been staying with Mrs. McCollum a few weeks past has gone home on account of the serious illness of her mother.

Mrs. Fanny Walker, of Johnstown Center, called at Fred Gould's, Sunday.

Martin Gould and family drove to North Lima Sunday afternoon to call on his cousin, Mrs. Joe Godfrey.

Herbert Godfrey who is an instructor in the dairy school at Madison spent the past week with his father here.

Mr. W. H. Cors went to Logansville and spent Sunday with his family and parents.

KOSHKONG

Koshkonong, Oct. 12.—Mrs. Allan and Mrs. Clark, of Ft. Atkinson, visited Tuesday at Oscar Moore's.

Miss Schultz of Jefferson, is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Charles Blazel.

Mrs. Geo. Barnhart went to Beloit, Wednesday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain.

Robert Miller returned from New York the first of the week.

Miss Mamie Winch of Milton Junction, visited her friend, Delta Lynd, over Sunday.

Mrs. M. G. Garrigus is making a short visit with the family of her son, Will Garrigus.

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Increasing cloudiness with probable showers Wednesday and in southern portion tonight.

THE INDIAN RUBBER INDUSTRY

People who are interested in rubber plantations will find satisfaction in figures recently compiled by the Treasury Bureau of Statistics, showing the importance of the rubber industry.

The figures show that more than 50 million pounds of India rubber, valued at more than 30 million dollars, was imported into the United States last year. In 1890 the quantity was only 33 million pounds. In 1890 16 millions, in 1870, 9 millions, and in 1862, the earliest date at which it was separately shown in the import statements, was only 2,125,661 pounds. This very rapidly grew into the importation of crude India rubber is, of course due to the great increase in its use in manufacturing, both as to rubber garments, shoes, etc., and its use in machinery and tires for vehicles. Over 100 million dollars' worth of manufactures from India rubber are now turned out from the factories of the country every year, and about half of this total is in the form of boots and shoes. So great is the demand of India rubber for use in manufacturing that not only has the importation grown from 2 million pounds in 1862 to over 50 million annually at the present period but in addition to the forests of the East Indies are called upon for several million pounds annually of a new substitute for gutta-percha, known as "gutta-joolating," while at the same time the highways and the byways of Europe and other countries are ransacked for east of rubber manufacturers from which the rubber is "reclaimed" and reused in conjunction with the new rubber from the forest of Brazil, Africa, and the East Indies.

They show that during the past few years the importations of crude rubber have ranged from 50 to 55 million pounds; of gutta-joolating from 5 to 15 million pounds, and of old and scrap rubber, at only for remanufacture, from 10 to 20 odd million pounds per annum, and the gutter-percha a half million pounds.

The industry of importing and "reclaiming" India rubber for use in manufacturing is a comparatively new one, and while it utilizes large quantities of worn out rubber boots and shoes and other articles of this character from the scrap heaps of the United States, it has only extended to other parts of the world in recent years. In 1893, for example, the total importation of oil and scrap India rubber fit only for remanufacture was less than a million pounds. In 1896 it was over 3 millions, in 1898 more than 9 millions, in 1900 19 millions, in 1902, 22 millions, and in 1903, 24,659,394 pounds, valued at \$1,516,137.

Gutta-joolating is another comparatively new material which may be utilized as a substitute for or in conjunction with India rubber. It is a product of the East Indies, chiefly the island of Borneo, located not far from our Philippines, and in the form in which it is imported is described as "whitish in color, looking something like marshmallow candy, smelling strongly of petroleum, and oxidizing on the expose to the air, becoming hard." The same description says: "It is not a substitute for gutta-percha or India rubber, but is used chiefly as a filler in manufactures of India rubber gum, and gutta-percha." The importation of this newly developed aid in the manufacture of India rubber has increased from 6-12 million pounds in 1899 to 14 million pounds in 1903.

A very large portion of the India rubber imported into the United States is produced in Brazil. Over one-half of the total is imported direct from Brazil, while considerable quantities come from the United Kingdom, presumably the products of her colonies, and from Belgium, chiefly the product of the Congo Free State, which is under the

Belgium Government and its industries of this character controlled by the people of that country. Recent reports received by the Division of Consular Reports of the Bureau of Statistics show that experiments in the East Indies have shown the entire practicability of producing best Para Rubber in territory immediately adjacent to the Philippines from trees transplanted from South America, and suggesting the possibility that the Philippine Islands may in time supply at least a part of the growing rubber consumption of the United States.

BOBBETTE FOLLETTE.

I am bound to be distinguished
Above the common throng;
Long ago I chose my motto:
"Whatever is, is Wrong!"

First I yelled it to the farmers
Till I caught the public eye,
And was boosted into office
By this populistic cry.

Then I caught the politicians
With my pessimistic creed,
And I got the whole crowd solid
To satisfy my greed.

Oh, these chumps! they are so easy;
All I have to do is yell,
And they think our splendid nation
Is going straight to — well,

Thus you see I have a purpose
In creating discontent;
Once the voters think I'm Moses
They'll elect me president.

So I shout that all is rotten—
Everywhere you hear my song—
I'm a prophet of destruction;
"Whatever is, is Wrong."

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WANTED—Strong boy 16 or 17 years of age to learn the potters' trade. Inquire at Gazette Printing Department.

WANTED—Experienced stenographer wants permanent position. Manufacturing or law work; four years experience. Best reference. Address M. C. Grotto.

WANTED—A young man for office work. Must be a good bookkeeper and stenographer. Apply to Alex. Gutfarh & Son, 123 E. Milwaukee street.

WANTED—Single man to work on stock farm. Farm and winter job. Call at Brown Bros. store.

WOMAN WANTED to sell a necessity to mothers. \$12 a week clear. Dept. M, Box 15, Philadelphia.

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WANTED—Suite of rooms for light housekeeping, by elderly lady. Address Box 600, P. O.

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FOR SALE—A slightly used No. 35 sign dress suit, good as new. For particular addressees. D. H. Guzzie.

FOR SALE—Lot with good household barn. Four blocks from center of city. Must be sold soon. Apply to J. L. Fisher, Hayes Block.

FOR SALE—One hundred lambs. S. Richardson, R. F. D. No. 6.

FOR SALE—Lot No. 16 Spring Brook—a bar room. Also three lots in Riverview. Inquire at 52 Oakland avenue.

FOR SALE—6 room house, modern conveniences, centrally heated. Inquire of Fred McLean, 115 South High street.

FOR SALE—Household goods, washing machine, etc. Call at 115 N. Academy street.

FOR SALE—Hawks eye grub and stamp machine. Inquire at this office.

FOR SALE—Good second hand guitar and case, and an order for 10 lessons, all for five dollars. Address P. O. Box 1624 City.

FOR SALE—House and lot on Union street. Within six blocks of new P. O.; 200 feet of intersecting cellar, exterior and well. House practically new. Inquire of Attorney Maxfield, Bennett Block.

FOR SALE—Roll top desk. Inquire at Dougherty & Palmer's office, Phoenix Block.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—House No. 18 Clark street. Apply to F. L. Stevens, Postillion Block.

FOR RENT—House and barn, with one acre of land. Inquire at Drummond & Son's grocery.

FOR RENT—Furnished room, down stairs. Inquire at 223 S. Bluff.

FOR RENT—A 6-room house in good condition and location. Inquire at 161 South Jackson street. Harry Duverkoren.

FOR RENT—Eight-room house, 163 Center Avenue. Gas, heat and soft water. Inquire at 401 North street, next house west.

FOR RENT—Newly fitted six-room flat, South Main street. Inquire at 8 South Main Street.

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FOR RENT—Two rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Inquire at 203 S. Franklin St.

FOR RENT—Two flats in Myers Opera House block. Inquire of P. L. Myers.

FOR RENT—A room at the southeast corner of Holmes and High streets. Inquire on premises.

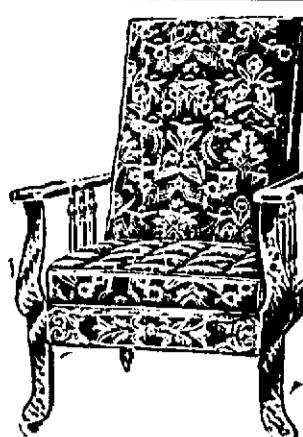
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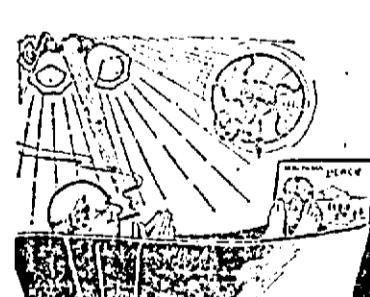
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Building.

Fatal Baseball Fight.
Flemington, Ky., Oct. 13.—At a baseball game at Beechburg Howard Clark, the umpire, and Zeek Cline became engaged in a fight. Cline's father rushed in to separate the combatants and was struck on the head and killed by a baseball bat in the hands of Ben Walton.

Wheat, Rice and Corn Flours

WHEN PROPERLY COMBINED AND PREPARED
MAKE ADelicate, Wholesome
Breakfast

RICHARD LESTER PLEADS GUILTY

THROWS OFF MASK OF INSANITY
AND CONFESSES BURGLARY.

SPEND ONE YEAR IN WAUPUN

Given the Minimum Sentence for
Burglary at Night, by
Judge Fifield.

After twenty-four hours' sojourn in the city lock-up Richard James Lester, alias R. J. Lawrence, the man who held up Connie McDonald's restaurant Sunday night, broke down this morning. When confronted with the facts concerning the robbery of W. W. Clarke's store in Milton and the evidence which pointed unmistakably to him, Lester confessed to Sheriff Appleby that he was the burglar. He said he cut the glass of the windows and robbed the tills of \$10 and some counterfeit money and old coins.

Weared of Insanity
He said he was tired of the "sin-sane racket" when one didn't get enough to eat. He acknowledged taking Will Paul's shirt away from him at the point of the gun and also helping himself to a livery rig being driven by one of the men in the employ of Liveryman Thompson. He denied that he hit the driver, asserting that he persuaded him to get out and hold the horse's head, and then drove off without him.

One Year in Waupun
Lester said he would plead guilty and was brought up in municipal court this afternoon. He was given one year in Waupun, the minimum sentence.

ARM BROKEN IN MANY PIECES

New Fireman at Art Study Company's
Plant Meets with Misfortune
the First Day.

Ed. Hause of 85 Fifth avenue, new fireman at the Art Study company, while trying to place a belt on a wheel at quarter past two this afternoon caught his hand in the machinery and had his arm horribly crushed and mangled, the bones being broken into bits.

A call for the ambulance was immediately sent in and the long trip to Monterey made in excellent time. The man suffered agonies while being cared for, but everything possible was done to alleviate his suffering.

Hause had climbed a tall step ladder to reach the high shafting and while trying to place the belt on the swiftly turning wheel, his arm in some way became caught and before the machinery could be stopped, was terribly shattered. He only started to work for the company this morning.

OBITUARY

Mrs. Joseph Yowell
News has been received here of the death of Mrs. Joseph Yowell of Springfield, Ill., which occurred at that city after an illness of several weeks' duration. Mrs. Yowell will be better remembered as Miss Anna Barham, who passed her girlhood days in Janesville, and had a host of friends who will be pained to hear of her death. A husband and four sons are left to mourn the loss of a devoted wife and mother.

Mrs. H. L. Washburn
Word has been received of the sad demise of Mrs. H. L. Washburn of Brooklyn, N. Y., on Tuesday last at West Bridgewater. Mrs. Washburn will be remembered as the sister of Mrs. E. G. Fifield. She has visited here many times and was about to come west to be present at the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Fifield on the 24th of this month, when taken ill. She was seventy-four years of age.

Died in Beloit
Dennis Madigan, one of the oldest residents of Beloit, died suddenly at his home last night after a brief illness. Mr. Madigan had been in the employ of the Beloit Iron works for 40 years. He was a prominent Catholic and enjoyed the highest regard of all who knew him. He was 63 years of age.

Mrs. Thomas M. Jamieson
The body of the late Mrs. Thomas M. Jamieson arrived from Idaho Falls yesterday afternoon and was taken to the undertaking rooms of D. Ryan & Son, from which place the funeral was held at 9:30 this morning. The service was held at the cemetery, Rev. Denison officiating. The pallbearers were Lee Perry, Azro Clark, M. B. Clark, George Bancroft, Ira Crosby, and William Butler.

Thomas McBride
The remains of the late Thomas McBride of Milwaukee arrived in Milton last night and the funeral was held from St. Mary's church, this city, at 10:30 this morning. Solemn high mass was celebrated. Rev. C. F. McBride of Oconomowoc was celebrant. Rev. F. J. Lillies of Platteville, deacon, and Rev. Ryan of St. Francis Seminary, sub-deacon. The pallbearers were Phillip Doheny, James Doheny, Joseph Barnard, James Burns, Michael Connors, and Patrick Boyle. Among the clergy who attended the services were Rev. M. J. Huoton of the Soldiers' Home, Milwaukee; Rev. M. E. Down of Whitewater, Rev. M. A. Condon of Oregon, Rev. N. D. Becker of Pewaukee, Rev. K. McGinnity, Rev. W. A. Goehel, and Rev. James McGinnity of Janesville.

Retail Clerks
The Retail Clerks' union will hold a special meeting at 8 o'clock tonight.

THE TWO FARMERS PLEAD NOT GUILTY

W. H. Bliss and Henry Ullick Will
Have Their Hearings on
Monday Next.

Farmers W. H. Bliss and Henry Ullick, the source of "a river of blood" that flowed from the corner of Milwaukee and River streets Saturday afternoon, appeared in municipal court yesterday and in answer to the warrants which each one swore out for the other, both pleaded "not guilty." Their hearings were set for Monday next. The altercation arose over the divorced wife of one of them.

CHIEF BITS OF LOCAL NEWS

Talk to Lowell.

Shakespeare. Creamery butter at 22c lb. Both phones No. 184. Shurtliff Co.

Shakespeare Friday night. Creamery butter at 22c lb. Both phones No. 184. Shurtliff Co.

Mr. Darrach never uses a book upon the platform.

Y. P. S. party at Central hall Monday evening, Oct. 19. Don't fail to attend.

T. P. Burns is showing a large and very attractive line of ladies' tailor-made suits for \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00.

Many gladly pay \$1.50 for a seat to see a Shakespeare play. \$1.00 pays for three entertainments in the Shakespeare recitals given by Marshall Darrach.

The season for winter underwear is now with us. You can find anything you want in this line at our store for prices that will induce you to buy. T. P. Burns.

Mr. L. F. Wortendyke, chairman of committee on u shers. Shakespeare recital has his hands full getting his young ladies drilled.

The best party of the season will be given by the Y. P. S. at Central hall Monday night, Oct. 19.

Don't forget the Y. P. S. Harvest Home party at Central hall Monday night, Oct. 19.

Smith's full orchestra at Central hall Monday night, Oct. 19.

Judge Fifield, chairman of committee on reception, Shakespeare recital, reports a large advance sale of tickets. It is in fact an entertainment of exceptional merit and the Gazette hopes every seat will be filled Friday night.

The Harvest Home festival party given by the Y. P. S. of Trinity church will be repeated at Central hall Monday evening, Oct. 19.

33 1/3 cents vs. \$1.50. The former the cost of hearing Marshall Darrach in one Shakespeare play where each act is performed by a star. The latter you pay for the privilege of hearing one star and twenty sticks in a theater.

Miss Mahel and Mr. Lester Ryan left for their home in Duluth last night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Ryan and Mr. Cantillon left on the midnight train for Duluth last evening.

C. S. Melthy left yesterday afternoon for Marathon, Iowa, to purchase a carload of fresh cows.

E. W. Hills, former superintendent of the Art Study Co., will move to Chicago shortly to accept a position which has been offered him. With A. Stroehel he will start on a drive to that city tomorrow, going by way of Richmond, Vola, and Diamond Lake.

S. A. Gooden and wife just returned from Sioux Falls, S. D., after four weeks' absence from the city.

Janesville Chapter to Entertain: The officers of the Janesville Chapter, No. 63, O. E. S. will entertain the members of the order and their families Wednesday evening at Masonic hall.

ELECT OFFICERS FOR THE YEAR

Junior League of the First M. E. Church Chose Leaders for Coming Year.

The Junior League of the First M. E. church, held a business meeting and social Saturday afternoon at the home of Miss Myrtle Pantall, S. Academy street. The first part of the afternoon was devoted to business of the league of which the most important was the election of officers. The following being elected:

President, Florence Davy; 1st vice president, Zernelee Wise; 2nd vice president, Eva Hollis; 3rd vice president, Gladys Rutter; 4th vice president, Dora DeLisle; secretary, Florence Bagley; treasurer, Arlene McBride.

At the conclusion of business the children were seated about the rooms at small tables where delicious refreshments were served, after which the children all enjoyed the playing of games under the leadership and directions of Miss Pantall and Mr. Beard.

PRISON TERM FOR THE COLORED MAN

Louis Smith Pleads Guilty to Charge of Assault—Gets Fifteen Months.

Louis Smith, the colored man who was arrested in Beloit some weeks ago on the charge of knifing a man, appeared in municipal court yesterday and pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to fifteen months in the state prison at Waupun and was taken there last night.

Mrs. Fifield Entertains: Mrs. Eliza Fifield entertained fifty of her friends last evening at her home, 108 Washington street. Six handed euchre was the game played and the guests experienced a delightful time.

SALVATION ARMY LEAVES THE CITY

SHAKES JANESEVILLE DUST FROM
THEIR SHOES.

GO TO WHITEWATER NEXT

COULD NOT EARN ENOUGH TO LIVE ON
HERE—SMALL CONTRIBUTIONS.

Janesville is no longer to echo with the sound of the drums of the Salvation Army. No longer is the cause of Christ to be preached on the streets by the earnest workers of the followers of Booth. They have decided to abandon Janesville. To leave the unsaved souls of this city unsaved, and continues their labors in some other locality where aid and cooperation of the citizens will bring about better results than exist here.

Little Help

Captain and Mrs. Brown will depart for Newark, Ohio, for a much needed rest and Captain and Mrs. Hillborn will move the paraphernalia from Janesville to Whitewater where the army will establish headquarters and continue their work.

SMALL ACCOUNTS

The Salvation Army officers support themselves. They depend upon their nightly collections and the contributions of citizens to keep the good work going. During the past week the entire amount collected was \$1.00, which was all three persons were supposed to have to live on.

For some time past the work has been uphill for the plucky leaders but the question existing comes forward now and they are forced to abandon the field. They will go to Whitewater where the use of an old Baptist church has been offered them and there they will continue the work.

DID GOOD

While the army has been established here they have done much good. They have always had earnest leaders in charge and the street services held and the later services in the barracks have been productive of much benefit to those who have listened. What is Janesville's loss in Whitewater's gain.

ODD FELLOWS LEAVE TODAY

Program of the Exercises in the Capital City - The Largest State Gathering in Many Years.

Today the local Odd Fellows leave for the state encampment at Madison and those fortunate enough to go are looking forward to a jollification in the Capital City. It is thought that this will be the largest gathering of Patriarchs in many years and much important business will be transacted. The following is the complete program of the encampment meeting:

Tuesday.
Competitive prize will by Canton. Grand encampment march to hall, escorted by military, headed by Nietzsche's Wisconsin State band.

Grand encampment called to order for business.

Exemplification Rebekah degree. Competitive degree work, first, second and third degrees.

Wednesday.
Patriarchs militant—Council. Grand encampment called to order.

Reception. Dance.

Thursday.
Conferring the degrees of charity.

PORCH SWAY COMPANY IS HOLDING MEETING TODAY

Board of Directors in its Session This Afternoon—Will Elect Old Board.

The stockholders of the Porch Sway company are in session this afternoon. Business relating to the concern will be passed over and a new board of directors elected. It is said that the same officers will be reelected although others may be some minor changes made. The meeting was called to order at three o'clock.

SPECIAL MARKET REPORT

From the Hadden, Bodee Co., 26: Jackman Block, Janesville.

C. L. Cutler, Its Manager.

Open: High. Low. Close.

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My Strangest Case

BY GUY BOOTHBY.

Author of "Dr. Kikola," "The Beautiful White Devil," "Pharos, The Egyptian," Etc.

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SYNOPSIS.

PART I.—Three rogues, Hayle, Kitwater and Codd meet at Singapore. Latter two have learned of existence of hidden treasures at Sengkor-Wat—old Burmese border near Chinese border. Hayle only half believes account, but nevertheless agrees to join in search.

PART II.—Teaching Sengkor-Wat, the men make their way through the African streets and toward the once splendid city. They travel by foot, finding a tedious search they come upon secret entrance to underground vaults, in which are discovered great quantities of bar gold and uncut rubies and sapphires. Hayle fills both hands with gems and the men make their way outside again. On returning camp them and find that while Birmanservants sit in horribly mutilated Chinese fashion during the night Hayle secures treasure and steals away into the jungle.

PART III.—Utterly exhausted and unconscious, Hayle is found by English officers near frontier station of Nampoung. As soon as he leaves for Rangoon and thence to England.

PART IV.—Two months later another officer at Nampoung, while out on a hunt comes across Kitwater and Codd. Kitwater explains they were traders who had fallen into hands of Chinese who had put out their eyes and put them in cold torture. After recovering somewhat from effects of exposure and tortures they set off in pursuit of Hayle.

CHAPTER I.—George Fairfax relates how he became a detective in Australia and finally came to open up an office in London.

CHAPTER II.—Kitwater and Codd try to secure Fairfax's services. They represent themselves as missionaries returned from China where a rich native patron turned over to them his daughter's fortune, which was stolen by a guest (Hayle) of the mission. Fairfax almost concludes not to take case.

CHAPTER III.—Miss Kitwater calls on Fairfax in behalf of her uncle and succeeds in persuading him to take up the work. Later in the day a stranger, who calls himself Edward Bayley, of the Santa Cruz Mining company, arrives and asks Fairfax to go to California to shadow mine manager, who is suspected of embezzlement. Detective replies he now has case on which will engage him for some time. Fairfax at a leading jeweler's learns that unusually large uncut stones have been just been received, and gets description of man whom they were bought.

CHAPTER IV.—One evening Fairfax finds himself followed by two Indians, but manages to elude them. Suspecting they will repeat performance he goes forth the next night, but with one of his most powerful men but a little behind. Finding that he is indeed followed, Fairfax turns into a dark street and turns about and confronts ruffians who confess they have been hired to brain him. Finding who they were to be the principal detective goes in their place to keep appointment. He conceals himself and is much surprised to see Mr. Bayley approach.

CHAPTER V.—From the managing director of the Santa Cruz Mining company Fairfax learns there is no Bayley in their employ. The director, however, remembers a former man who always referred to himself as Gideon Hayle. That same day by accident Fairfax almost comes upon Hayle, but the latter escapes into a cab. Fairfax follows in close pursuit. After a long chase the forward cab comes to a stop, but it is empty.

CHAPTER VI.—After many persistent inquiries Fairfax locates Hayle in Foxwell's hotel, but misses finding him in by only a few minutes. Subordinate detectives are located at the various stations, and one of them, Dickson, manages to trace Hayle to Paris.

CHAPTER VII.—Fairfax takes advantage of necessary delay to spend Sunday at the Kitwater home, and becomes very much impressed with the charms of Mrs. Kitwater. Her bearing is the open whom Kitwater is drawing for funds for the pursuit of Hayle.

CHAPTER VIII.—(Continued.)

"If I am not mistaken that is your step, Mr. Fairfax," said the blind man, stopping suddenly in his walk, and turning his sightless face in my direction. "It's wonderful how the loss of one's sight sharpens one's ears. I suppose you met Margaret on the road?"

"I met Miss Kitwater in the churchyard," I replied.

"A very good meeting place," he chuckled, sarcastically. "It's where most of us meet each other sooner or later. Upon my word, I think the dead are luckier than the living. In any case they are more fortunate than poor devils like Codd and myself. But I am keeping you standing, won't you sit down somewhere and tell me your news? I have been almost counting the minutes for your arrival. I know you would not be here to-day unless you had something important to communicate to me. You have found Hayle?"

He asked the question with feverish eagerness, as if he hoped within a few hours to be clutching at the other's throat. I could see that his niece noticed it too, and that she recoiled a little from him in consequence. I thereupon set to work and told them of all that had happened since I had last seen them, described my lucky meeting with Hayle at Charing Cross, my chase after him across London, the trick he had played me at Foxwell's hotel, and my consequent fruitless journey to Southampton.

"And he managed to escape you after all," said Kitwater. "That man would outwit the master of all liars himself. He is out of England by this time, and we shall lose him."

"He has not escaped me," I replied, quietly. "I know where he is, and I have got a man on his track."

"Then where is he?" asked Kitwater. "If you know where he is, you ought to be with him yourself instead of down here. You are paid to conduct the case. How do you know that your man may not bungle it, and that we may not lose him again?"

His tone was so rude and his manner so aggressive, that his niece was about to protest. I made a sign to her, however, not to do so.

"I don't think you need be afraid, Mr. Kitwater," I said more soothingly than I felt. "My man is a very clever and reliable fellow, and you may be sure that, having once set eyes on Mr. Hayle, he will not lose sight of him again. I shall leave for Paris to-morrow morning, and shall immediately let you know the result of my search. Will that suit you?"

"It will suit me when I get hold of Hayle," he replied. "Until then I

shall know no peace. Surely you must understand that?"

Then, imagining, perhaps, that he had gone too far, he began to fawn upon me, and what was worse praised my methods of elucidating a mystery. I cannot say which I disliked the more. Indeed, had it not been that I had promised Miss Kitwater to take up the case, and that I did not want to disappoint her, I believe I should have abandoned it there and then, out of sheer disgust. A little later our hostess proposed that we should adjourn to the house, as it was nearly lunch-time. We did so, and I was shown to a pretty bedroom to wash my hands. It was a charming apartment, redolent of the country, smelling of lavender, and, after London, as fresh as a glimpse of a new life. I looked about me, took in the cleanliness of everything, and contrasted it with my own dingy apartments at Rickford's hotel, where the view from the window was not of meadows and breezy uplands, but of red roofs, chimney-pots, and constantly revolving crows. I could picture the view from this window in the early morning, with the dew upon the grass, and the blackbirds whistling in the shrubbery. I am not a vain man, I think, but at this juncture I stood before the looking-glass and surveyed myself. For the first time in my life I could have wished that I had been better-looking. At last I turned angrily away.

"What a duffer I am, to be sure!" I said to myself. "If I begin to get notions like this in my head there is no knowing where I may end. As if any girl would ever think twice about me!"

Thereupon I descended to the drawing-room, which I found empty. It was a true woman's room, daintily furnished, with little knick-knacks here and there, a work-basket put neatly away for the Sabbath, and an open piano with one of Chopin's works upon the music-rest. Lending out of the drawing-room was a small conservatory, filled with plants. It was a pretty little place and I could not refrain from exploring it. I am passionately fond of flowers, but my life at that time was not one that permitted me much leisure to indulge in my liking. As I stood now, however, in the charming place, among the rows of neatly-arranged pots, I experienced a sort of waking dream. I seemed to see myself standing in this very conservatory, hard at work upon my flowers, a pipe in my mouth and my favorite old soft felt hat upon my head. Crime and criminals were alike forgotten; I no longer lived in a dingy part of the town, and what was better than all I had—

"Do you know I feel almost inclined to offer you the proverbial penny," said Miss Kitwater's voice behind me, at the drawing-room door. "Is it permissible to ask what you were thinking about?"

I am not of course prepared to swear it, but I honestly believe, for the first time for many years, I blushed.

"I was thinking how very pleasant a country life must be," I said, making the first excuse that came to me. "I almost wish that I could lead one."

"Then why don't you? Surely it would not be so very difficult?"

"I am rather afraid it would," I answered. "And yet I don't know why it should be."

"Perhaps Mrs. Fairfax would not care about it," she continued, as we returned to the drawing-room together.

"Good gracious!" I remarked. "There is no Mrs. Fairfax. I am the most confirmed of old bachelors. I wonder you could not see that. Is not the word crustiness written plainly upon my forehead?"

"I am afraid I cannot see it," she answered. "I am not quite certain who it was, but I fancy it was my uncle who informed me that you were married."

"It was very kind of him," I said. "But it certainly is not the case. I fear my wife would have rather a lonely time of it if it were. I am obliged to be away from home so much, you see, and for so long at a time."

"Yours must be indeed a strange profession, Mr. Fairfax, if I may say so," she continued. "Some time ago I came across an account, in a magazine, of your life, and the many famous cases in which you had taken part."

"Ah! I remember the wretched thing," I said. "I am sorry that you should ever have seen it."

"And why should you be sorry?"

"Because it is a silly thing, and I have always regretted allowing the man to publish it. He certainly called upon me and asked me a lot of questions, after which he went away and wrote that article. Ever since then I have felt like a concealed ass, who tried to make himself out more clever than he really was."

"I don't think you would do that,"

"To be continued."

SIX VICTIMS OF TRAIN WRECK

Three Killed and Three Hurt in Collision in Kansas City Yards.

Kansas City, Oct. 13.—Three men were killed and three others were injured, one seriously, in a collision between Missouri Pacific and Frisco freight trains in the switch yards in this city. The dead: A. L. Johnson, John Murphy, George Kirkpatrick. The injured: Will Austin, R. H. Braht, J. E. Ward. The Frisco train was standing on the crossing when the Missouri Pacific train ran into it, turning over a freight car, which fell on a crowd of men waiting for the Frisco train to pass.

INSURANCE CONCERN UNITE

Iowa Consolidation Has Policies for \$18,000,000 in Force.

Des Moines, Iowa, Oct. 13.—The Des Moines and the Chicago Life Insurance companies, both of this city, have authorized the announcement of their consolidation, combining membership and resources into one company under the name the Des Moines Life. The consolidated companies have \$18,000,000 insurance in force and total assets exceeding \$1,000,000.



Very Low Rates to San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal.

Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold Oct. 8 to 17, inclusive, with very favorable return limits, on account of convention of American Bankers' association.

Very Low Rates to Detroit Mich Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold Oct. 14 to 17, inclusive, with very favorable return limits, on account of Christian Church National conventions.

Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, R. R.

Commencing September 16, until November 30th, 1903, one-way colonist excursion tickets will be sold daily at \$33.45 to points in California, including San Francisco, Los Angeles and San Diego. \$31.80 to Portland, Ore., Tacoma and Seattle, Wash., Victoria, Vancouver, B. C., and intermediate points. \$27.80 to points in Montana. \$22.80 to Billings, Mont., Ogden and Salt Lake City, Utah; Pocatello, Ida., and intermediate points.

Excursion Tickets to St. Paul and Minneapolis and Return will be sold by the North-Western line daily until November 30, 1903, from Janesville at \$14 for the round trip, limited to return until December 15, 1903.

Very Low Rates to Kansas City, Mo. Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets will be sold Oct. 16 to 21, inclusive, with very favorable return limits, on account of American Royal Live Stock exhibition.

Homesiders' Excursions to the Northwest, West and Southwest and Colonist Low Rates West, Via the North-Western line. Excursion tickets at greatly reduced rates are on sale to the territory indicated above. Standard and tourist sleeping cars, free reclining chair cars and "The Best of Everything." For dates of sale and full particulars apply to agents Chicago & North-Western R. R.

Special Reduced Excursion Rates Will be in effect from all points on the Chicago & North-Western Railway for the occasions named below:

Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo, Oct. 7th to 11th, Brotherhood of St. Andrew Convention.

Detroit, Mich., Oct. 16th to 22nd, Christian Church National conventions.

San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal., Oct. 20th to 23rd, American Bankers' convention.

For information as to rates, dates of sale, etc., of these or other occasions, call upon ticket agent of the North-Western line. Tel. 35.

Low rate round-trip tickets to Fond du Lac and intermediate stations, good every Sunday until Sept. 27, 1903.

Special Reduced Excursion Rates Will be in effect from all points via the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway for the occasions named below;

Detroit, Mich., Christian church national conventions. October 16 to 22, 1903.

Kansas City, Mo., October 19 to 21, 1903, American Royal Live Stock show.

San Francisco and Los Angeles, Cal., October 20 to 23, 1903, American Bankers' association.

Chester, Ill., November 28 to December 5, 1903, International Live Stock exposition.

For information as to rates, dates of sale, limits, etc., of these and other occasions call upon the ticket agent of the C. M. & St. P. Ry. Phone 191.

is wounded in back.

Berlin, Oct. 13.—A duel with pistols was fought on the parade ground at Schillerhain between Lieutenant Schreiber of the Fifty-seventh Infantry and a Lieutenant of the reserves, Rauchfleisch. One of the combatants was dangerously wounded.

Child is Burned.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Etta Loche, 7 years old, while playing near a bonfire sustained burns which resulted in her death. She was playing with her younger sister, Katie, when her dress caught fire. Katie called for help, but it arrived too late.

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Round Trip Excursion Tickets to St. Paul and Minneapolis.

\$14.00 round trip via the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul R. R. Tickets on sale daily to St. Paul and Minneapolis, Minn., until November 30, 1903. Tickets limited to return until December 15, 1903.

Round Trip And One Way Excursion Tickets.

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul Railway will sell round trip homesiders excursion tickets Oct. 6th, and 20th, November 3d and 17th at one fare plus \$2.00 for the round trip to many points in Iowa, North and South Dakota, Minnesota, and points in Northern Wisconsin and

Very Low Rates to Denver, Colorado Springs and Pueblo, Col., and Return

Via C. M. & St. P. R. R. on account of annual convention Brotherhood of St. Andrews at Denver, Oct. 7-11, 1903. Tickets will be sold Oct. 5 to 8, inclusive. Choice of routes and stopover privileges. Return limit will be Oct. 31, 1903.

Low Rates To Kansas City and Return.

The C. M. & St. P. R. R. will sell round trip excursion tickets at one fare plus \$2.00 to Kansas City, Oct. 17 to 21, inclusive, account of the American Royal Live Stock show at Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 19 to 21. An extension to return to Nov. 10 may be obtained.

Low Rates to California.

Why not go in October, when the rates are low? Only \$62.50 from Janesville, Wis., to San Francisco or Los Angeles and return, October 8 to 17, via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway. Excellent train service. Tickets good on the Overland Limited or two other fast daily trains via this line. Complete information on request. F. A. Miller.

RAILROAD TIME TABLES

Chicago & N. W. I Leave | Arrive

Chicago..... * 10 am * 12:10 pm

Chicago, via Clinton 9:05 am * 10:10 pm

Chicago, via Clinton 7:40 am * 7:50 pm

Chicago..... * 12:25 am

Chicago, via Clinton 11:25 pm * 11:40 pm

Chicago, Parlor Cafe

Car * 7:00 pm * 11:15 am

Chicago, via Beloit * 7:10 am * 8:35 pm

Beloit, Car * 4:05 pm * 5:55 pm

Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Omaha, Denver & Chicago * 7:00 pm * 10:35 pm

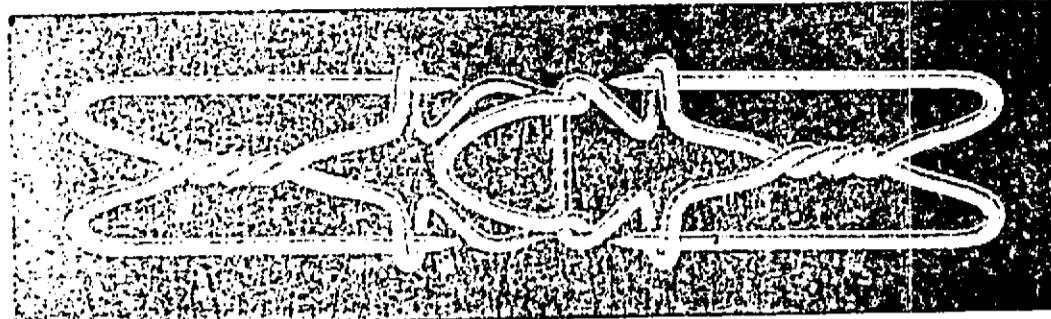
Beloit, Rockford, Freeport, Omaha & Denver 4:05 pm * 10:35 pm

Beloit, Rockford and Beloit

400 PER CT. PROFIT!

MADE IN MANUFACTURING OUR HORSE BLANKET PINS.

The large mail order houses such as Montgomery Ward & Co., Sears, Roebuck & Co., and Butler Bros., of Chicago, it is expected will sell at least 15,000 gross the first year, on which we make a profit of \$4.00 per gross—just \$60,000 net, or just 24 per cent. on the entire capital stock of the company, which would be 48 per cent. on your investment at 50 cents per share. We are also manufacturing a number of specialties such as Garment Hangers, Pencil Holders, Display Card Stands, Telephone Receivers, etc. (see samples at the Rock Co. National Bank) on which we make a profit of 100 per cent. In addition to this we are now doing a mail order business, and have over 1000 agents who are selling our different products to the consumers.



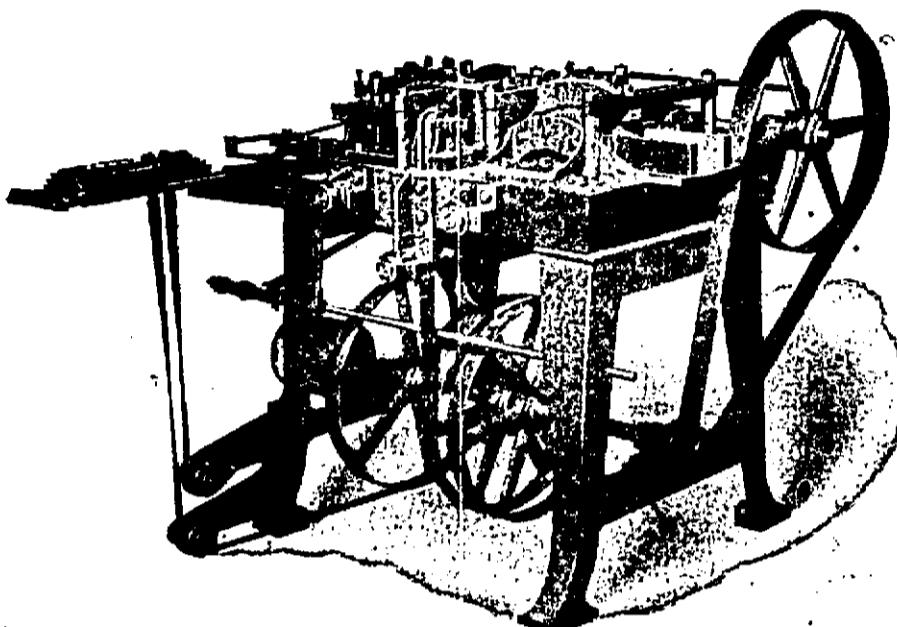
U-PIN-IT HOOK AND EYE FOR HORSE BLANKETS.

SOME OF THE STOCK HOLDERS OF THE U-PIN-IT HOOK AND EYE CO.

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Our Stockholders are more than confident

that our stock will be worth many times its present value within a reasonable length of time, because of the many different things we manufacture. Some think that our large Hook and Eye for horse blankets will be the greatest dividend payer of anything we manufacture at the present time.



DOUBLE POINTING MACHINE.
Takes wire from the coil, cuts, straightens and sharpens both ends instantaneously. Prepares wires for both Hook and Eye machines, and is adjustable for all sizes.
Designed especially for the U-Pin-It Hook & Eye Co. by the Waterbury Machine Co.

Profits Made In Manufacturing U-Pin-It Hooks and Eyes [Not including profits mentioned above]

PRESENT CAPACITY	COST OF PRODUCTION	SELLING PRICE	PROFITS
Per day, 200 gross	\$100	\$250	\$150
Per year, 60,000	\$30,000	\$75,000	\$45,000
<i>Our Ten New Machines when completed will give us the Following Results:</i>			
Per day, 700 gross	\$250	\$875	\$525
Per year, 210,000	\$105,000	\$262,500	\$157,000

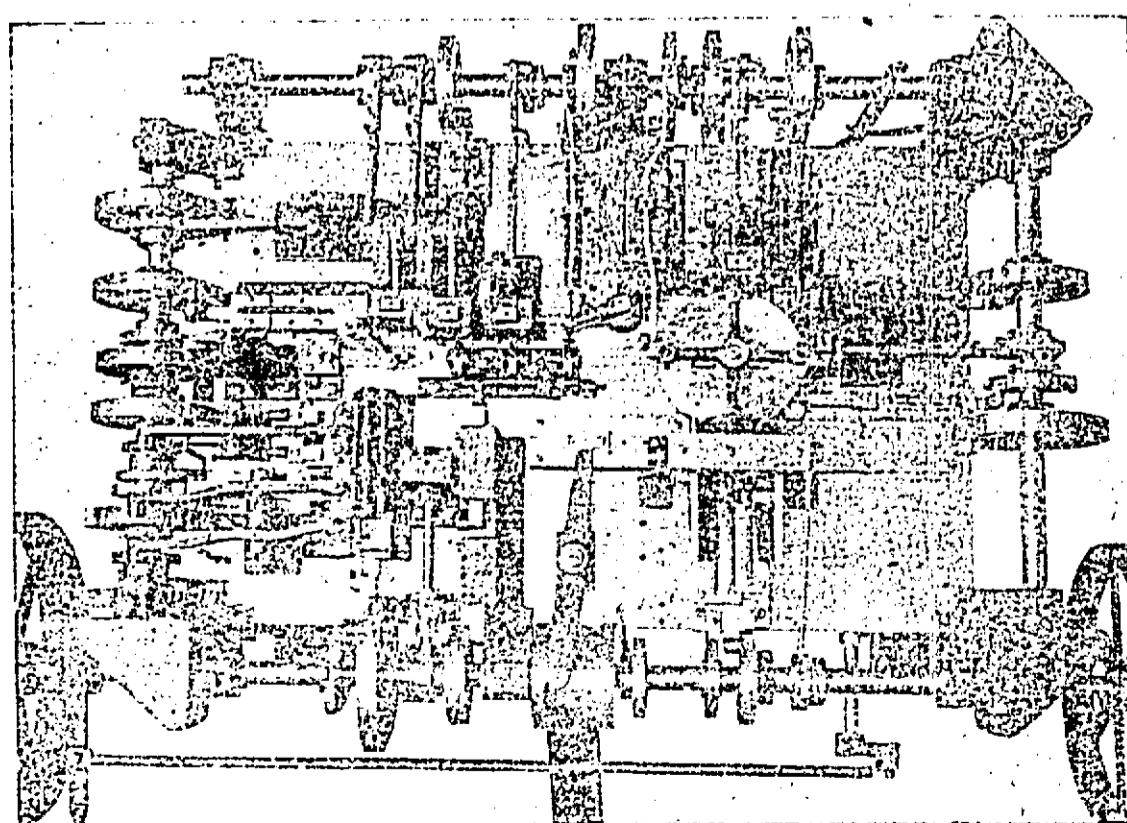
Estimating the office expenses, cost of advertising, etc. at 50 per cent of the profits, with only our present capacity, there should be \$22,500, net profits to pay out on a capital of \$250,000 next year, just 9 per cent on our capital stock. If you purchase stock at 50c a share, you would be receiving 18 per cent on your investment. By adding ten machines the dividends would be increased, as the above figures will show, to 31 per cent on the capital stock or 62 per cent on the investment. These figures do not include the profits made on our horse blanket pins and mail order business.

In figuring the profits on ten machines, it is not to be understood that we will not need more than this number, for we need ten additional machines now. The DeLong Hook and Eye Company have over 50 machines in operation, and employ about 200 people in their plant at the present time.

Thirty-three and one-third per cent of the women who have given the U-Pin-It Hook and Eye a practical test have actually endorsed it; this means that of the 6,000,000 gross or more of hooks and eyes manufactured and sold every year, we will be the producers of at least 2,000,000 gross on which we make a profit of 75 cents to the jobber and \$1 to the retailer.

We are informed that the manufacturers of the "Hump" Hook and Eye, to be sewed on, have made over \$1,000,000 in profits in the last few years. Their stock has been recently quoted at \$10 per share—par value \$1.

We are the inventors and sole manufacturers of the U-Pin-It Hook and Eye, the only Hook and Eye in the world that positively does away with sewing.



Top view of one of the Automatic Eye Machines showing different operations.
Designed especially for U-Pin-It Hook & Eye Co. by Waterbury Machine Co.

It is not in the least improbable that shares of stock, which are purchased for 50c per share, will within two or three years be worth from \$2 to \$3 each. As a profitable investment for the individual purchaser of U-Pin-It stock, this will, therefore, need no further emphasis than that we CONFIDENTIALLY BELIEVE this advanced figure will be realized. On the basis of "public spirit" the location of our factory in Janesville and the general benefit of the enterprise to its citizens and vicinity will be apparent to you.

Applications received at the Bower City Bank and the Rock County National Bank, where our references are on file and where our Hooks and Eyes and different specialties which we manufacture can be seen.

U-PIN-IT HOOK & EYE CO., by VICTOR O. MILLS, President.

Some of the largest Jobbers in the world who are inquiring for and are now selling U-Pin-It Hooks and Eyes. Positively the fastener of the present and future.

Hargadine, McKittrick Dry Goods Co., St. Louis, Mo.
H. B. Claflin Company, New York
Calhoun, Robbins & Co., New York
R. W. Cameron & Co., Exporters, New York
Walker, Stetson & Co., Boston, Mass.
Manchester, Robertson, Allison & Co., St. Johns, N. B.
Alfred Field & Co., London, England
E. H. Starkey & Co., Birmingham, England
Edward Boss & Co., Paris, France
Rae & Flunn, Melbourne, Australia
Todd, & Dimant, Sidney, Australia
Byrne & Hammer Dry Goods Co., Omaha, Neb.
N. J. Thompson & Co., Elmira, N. Y.
Green, Joyce & Co., Columbus, Ohio
Havens, Geddes Co., Indianapolis, Ind.
Rheinstein Dry Goods Co., Wilmington, N. C.
Marshall Field & Co., Chicago, Ill.
Carson, Pirie, Scott & Co., Chicago, Ill.
J. V. Farwell & Co., Chicago, Ill.
Butler Bros., Chicago, Ill.
Ly-n Bros., Chicago, Ill.
Fly. Walker & Co., St. Louis, Mo.
John H. Brittain Dry Goods Co., St. Joseph, Mo.
and others.